

University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law

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RECENT FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

Bending Toward Justice: John Doar and the “Mississippi Burning” Trial, 72 MISS. L. J. 731 (2002).

The Dakota Conflicts Trial and Sheriff Shipp Trial, in GREAT AMERICAN TRIALS (Edward Knappman ed., Thomson Gale Pub., 2d ed. 2001).

RECENT FACULTY ELECTRONIC PUBLICATIONS

John Brown Trial (1859),

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/johnbrown/brownhome.html>.

Mountain Meadows Massacre Trials (1875-76),

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/mountainmeadows/leetrial.html>.

Earp (O. K. Corral) Trial (1881),

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/earp/earphome.html>.

Sam Sheppard Trials (1954 & 1966),

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/sheppard/samsheppardtrial.html>.

Oklahoma City Bombing Trial (1997).

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/mcveigh/mcveightrial.html>.

Trial Editor (supplying monthly essays on famous trials), *The Jurist* (2000-2001)

<http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/trials.htm>.

Exploring First Amendment Law (an electronic casebook on First Amendment law)(2001)

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/firstamendment/firstamendmenthome.htm>.

Searching for Law’s Heroes (2001)

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/trialheroes/HEROSEARCH1.html> .

Building the Famous Trials Website, *The Jurist* (Dec. 2000)

<http://jurist.law.pitt.edu/lessons/lesjan01.htm>.

Famous Trials Website (1997 to present)

<http://www.law.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/ftrials.htm>

(including the Scopes (“Monkey”) Trial, the Leopold & Loeb Trial, the Rosenbergs Trial, the Amistad Trials, the Haywood Trial, the Salem Witchcraft Trials, the “Scottsboro Boys” Trial, the My Lai Courts-Martial, the Andrew Johnson Impeachment Trial, the Dakota Conflict Trials, the “Mississippi Burning” Trial, the “Chicago Seven” Trial, and the Clarence Darrow Page).

RECENT FACULTY PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

“Thurgood Marshall is Coming” (A panel discussion of Brown v. Board of Education)

University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Law CLE Program, April 15, 2004.

The State of Civil Liberties in America, Johnson County AARP Chapter Meeting, April 13, 2004.

Presentation of working paper on Scopes Trial Companion, Faculty Writing Group, Feb. 2004.

Interview with Scripps-Howard Newspapers on What Makes Famous Trials Famous, Jan. 12, 2004.

Interview with Australian radio ABC on The Lincoln Assassination Conspiracy Trial, Jan. 7, 2004.

Supreme Court Preview, Unitarian Forum, Nov. 2, 2003.

The Patriot Act and Its Implications for Civil Liberties, ACLU and Mainstream Coalition Forum, Unitarian Church, Sept. 16, 2003.

Interview with KMBZ radio on Separation of Church and State, Aug. 27, 2003.

Constitutional Questions Concerning Faith-Based Initiatives, Unitarian Forum, May 6, 2001 (with Kris Kobach).

Consultation with PBS and WGBH (Boston) in connection with its “American Experience” series broadcast on the Scottsboro Boys trial, Apr. 2001.

Interviews with various international, national and local radio, television, and print media, including New York Times Magazine, Washington Post, Wall Street Journal, Newsday, Lancet, New York Times, U.S. News & World Report, San Francisco Daily Journal, Kansas City Star, Lincoln (Nebraska) Journal Star, Court-TV, Christian Science Monitor, BBC, CBS (Network) News, CNN, WGN Radio (Chicago), WDAF-TV (Kansas City), KMBZ-TV (Kansas City), KCTV-TV (Kansas City), KLBJ (Austin, Texas), WBT (Charlotte, North Carolina), Fox Cable News Channel, the Associated Press, and NBC Radio concerning topics such as: butterfly ballots and the Gore-Bush election controversy, the Famous Trials website, the My Lai trials, the Scopes

trial, the Mississippi Burning trial, legality of census sampling, and candidates for “trial of the century.” May 1998-present.

On the Wings of a Butterfly, KANSAS CITY STAR, Nov. 15, 2000, at B11 (with Nancy Levit).

Distinguished Scholar-in Residence at Tulsa University Law School. I presented a public lecture, *Searching for Heroes*, and a talk to faculty, *Searching for Evil*. I also visited classes, met with student leaders, and conducted two half-hour interviews for the Tulsa NPR affiliate, Oct. 24-26.

Sex, Lies, and a Sealed Fate: The Fourth Trial of Oscar Wilde, A Community Forum sponsored by the Missouri Repertory Theater in connection with its presentation of the play, “the Three Trials of Oscar Wilde,” Fall 2000.

The Scopes Trial: Seventy-Five Years Later, Scopes Week Forum, Southminister Presbyterian Church, Kansas City, Missouri, July, 2000.

Interview concerning the Scopes trial, PBS live television interview, Leeds Center, Lawrence, Kansas, July 2000.

Consultation with Nebraska Public Television on a documentary being produced for PBS on the Scopes Trial.

Consultation with (and use of my original materials by) LA Theatre Works on a series of educational audiotapes on famous trials.

Ethical Issues Raised by the Trial Work of Clarence Darrow, UMKC CLE Presentation, Kansas City, Missouri, Mar. 2, 2000.